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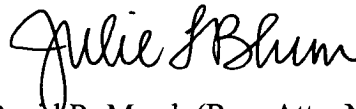
Re: U.S. Application No. 10/520,931
Filed: December 12, 2005
Title: Transplant Acceptance Inducing Cells of Monocytic Origin
and Their Preparation and Use
Applicants: Bernd Karl Friedrich KREMER *et al.*
Attorney Docket No.: 18724.008

Sir:

Attached is a copy of the deposit receipt and viability statement for the seed deposit, deposited under Accession No. DSM ACC2542, discussed in the Amendment and Response filed in the above-identified application on April 27, 2009.

In the event that extensions of time beyond those petitioned for herewith are necessary to prevent abandonment of this patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned. Applicants do not believe any fees, other than the above (\$670), are due in conjunction with this filing. However, if any additional fees are required in the present application, including any fees for extensions of time, then the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fees to Arnold & Porter LLP Deposit Account No. 50-2387 referencing matter number 18724.008.

Respectfully submitted,



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